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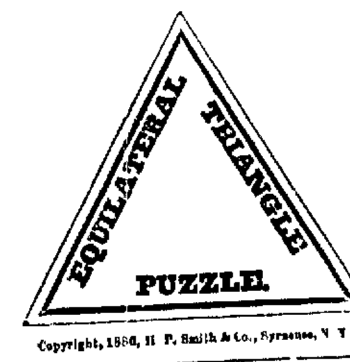

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John D Schwitzer vs James R Smith—Attachment.

Public notice is hereby given to the said defendant, James R Smith, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon County, dated the 11th day of July, A D 1887, at the suit of the above named plaintiff, John D Schwitzer against the lands, goods, chattels, rights, moneys, and effects of you, the said defendant, James R Smith, for the sum of twenty dollars and thirty five cents, directed to the Sheriff of said county of Macon to execute, which writ has been executed by levying on certain real estate in said county of Macon

Now, therefore, unless you, the said defendant, James R. Smith, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon County, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be held in the city of Decatur, beginning on the second Monday of the month of January, 1888, to-wit, on the 9th day of said month, give bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said plaintiff, and so much of the lands attached as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

Decatur, Illinois, October 6th, A D 1887

E. McCLELLAN,
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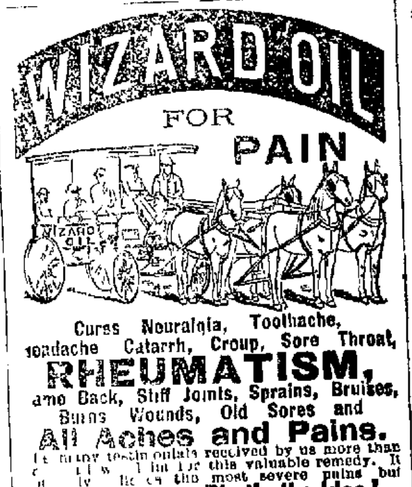

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If you have all, or any considerable number of these symptoms, you are suffering from that most common of American maladies—Bilious Dyspepsia, or Torpid Liver, associated with Dyspepsia, or Indigestion The more complicated your disease has become, the greater the number and diversity of symptoms No matter what stage it has reached, **Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery** will subdue it, if taken according to directions for a reasonable length of time If not cured complications multiply and Consumption of the Lungs Skin Diseases, Heart Disease, Rheumatism, Kidney Disease, or other grave maladies are quite liable to set in and, sooner or later induce a fatal termination.

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OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—The editor of the Knoxville *Republican* advertises for the photograph of a dollar.

—A healthy-looking tramp at Bangor asked a woman if she would give him a dinner. She told him it wasn't her dinner hour, but she could give him a substantial lunch "I don't want a lunch, I want a dinner," replied the high-toned beggar, and he walked off.

—The wild-eyed, long-haired, sombrero-topped men so numerous in Omaha nowadays are not cowboys nor army scouts nor Indian-slayers—unless the lowly red-man purchases their wares. They are patent-medicine fakers from the Indianless East.—*Omaha Chronicle*

—A little Burlington girl who dislikes arithmetic was asked to give the sum of nine cows and seven cows. "Fifteen," she replied When informed that this was wrong, she petulantly exclaimed· "It doesn't make any difference if we only get the milk." —*Burlington Free Press*

—Mrs. Elisha Merritt, of Gainesville, Ga, who is now over eighty years old, has an iron pot which has been in the possession of the family for many generations It was brought from Holland long before the revolutionary war, and had been in the family for several generations before that Family tradition makes its age at least three hundred years

—A New York State Judge who had a kissing case before him said: "There is no objection, so far as I can see, to a man kissing a girl if she be willing. But you must not do it against her will. She has a right to object, and if she does you mustn't do it Be sure she is willing before you try" If she object, then take some girl who won't.—*Omaha World*

—Friend (to patent medicine manufacturer)—"How is your great 'cure-all' remedy taking, old man?" Manufacturer—"Immensely I've made enough out of it in the last three months to warrant a trip to Europe" Friend—"Going for pleasure, I suppose" Manufacturer—"No I'm going for my health"—*Drake's Travelers' Magazine*

—A Hartford (Conn.) man sent his boy into the country equipped with a woodchuck trap and other appliances for enjoying his vacation, and told him to have a good time and be sure to go to church on Sundays The first letter he received from the boy said "Dear papa, I've caught a woodchuck. It was a skunk I did not go to church. Yours affectionately"

—A lady writes the Nantucket (Mass) *Journal* that many years ago a small army of tiny red ants took possession of her store closet and remained until cool weather Every year they returned She was advised to try tar, which she did, placing a large chunk on a dish in a corner of the shelf. The ants left, and have never returned The same piece of tar has stood in the same place for fifteen years

—An old mailing table in the Ogdensburg (N. Y) post-office was torn to pieces recently, and between the linings and the outside of the shutes leading to the bags were found sixty-seven letters that had slipped through cracks in the table Some of the letters bore postmark dates showing that they were mailed in 1873, and one contained a foreign money order that the Post-office Department made good several years ago.

—A man who was wanted on some criminal charge in a Dakota town recently disguised himself in a woman's dress and bonnet and tried to drive out of town in a carriage, but was arrested before he had gone half a mile The detective happened to see the carriage go past and was convinced the driver was not a woman as soon as he noticed that he didn't drive twice as fast up hill as on the level or say "whoa" twice after the horse stopped

—A man at Prague, Bohemia, swallowed a small watch with chain attached, which a joker had slipped into a glass of beer while the man's back was turned The metal, dissolved by the acids of the stomach, has poisoned that organ and keeps it in an incessant state of fever, making him unable to retain food The man has been dismissed from the Munich hospital as incurable, and now lies in a hospital at Prague, kept alive by food artificially injected, waiting to see whether the watch will all dissolve or he will die first

—There are now cables on almost every sea and ocean bed, the total length of wire laid being nearly 113,000 nautical miles There are nine cables connecting Europe with America, the first that was laid dating from 1858 So great, also, has the advance been in the operative aspect of cable telegraphy that practically no more difficulty is felt in repairing submarine lines than in attending to defects in those on land It is seldom any serious derangement of the telegraphic system takes place When it does it is of comparatively brief duration —*Public Opinion.*

—Dr. Chapman, in the *Medical and Surgical Reporter*, says that nine-tenths of the wild animals in confinement are subject to heart disease, although all animals have their peculiarities. The elephants are heirs to many diseases, but the most common and fatal is rheumatism Monkeys and baboons generally die from bronchial affections and heart disease; felines, such as lions, tigers, leopards, etc, from dysentery and heart disease; deer, antelopes, etc., suffer most from dysentery and heart disease, while the canine tribe, such as wolves, dingoes and foxes, don't seem to be subject to any disease except "pure cussedness."

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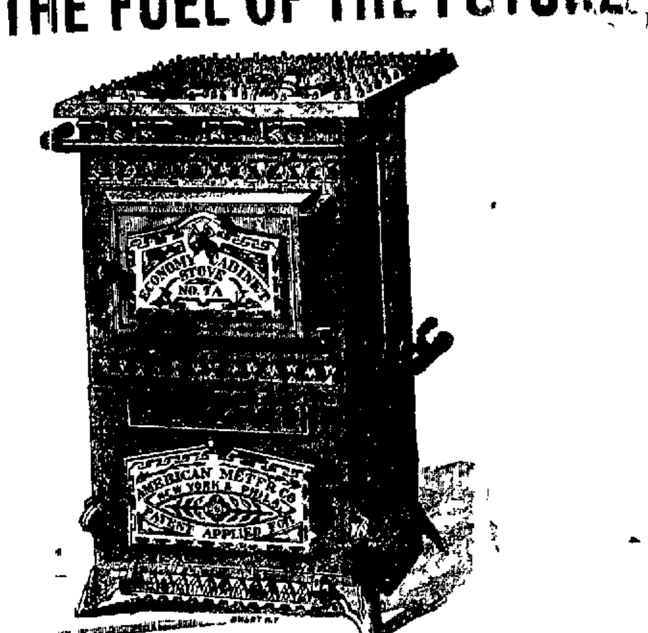

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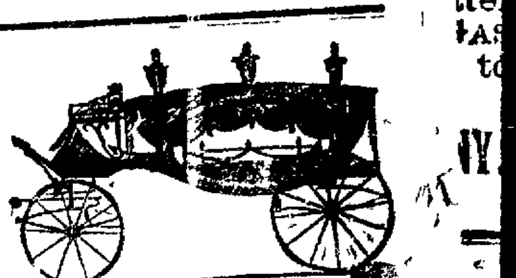

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MONDAY EVE., NOV 7, 1887.

It is said that Gen Oglesby's first vocation was that of a carpenter at $1 50 a day. Stranger things have happened than that he should yet be a cabinet maker at $50 000 a year.

SENATOR HALE, of Maine, who recently returned from his trip to England and the Continent, says Europe is no place to live when compared with the United States. As an illustration of the wages of workingmen, he says that a friend of his who has a handsome estate in Belgium employs eight men who combined wages amount to only $10 a week.

THE chief feature in next Tuesday's election in New York City will be the contest for Prosecuting Attorney between Nicoll, Republican and Fellows, Democrat, the latter representing the boodlers and the former the opponent of all boodlers and boodler practices. The contest is an exciting one, with the chances about even.

"Oil has been lifted 5 cents by combination to shut down, sugar a shade by reports, adding the trust, and tin and copper by special two operations in the nature of corners." A Forte trust is expected to raise prices. So reads the commercial column of the day. The text is so full, it is that comment is unnecessary.

THE CROW INDIAN TROUBLES.

A Red Hot Skirmish in Which the Troops are Victorious--"Sword Bearer" Killed

CROW INDIAN AGENCY, Mont, Nov 7—The Crow Indian affair came to a head Friday. The Indians held a big council in the morning among themselves, and disclaimed any intentions to fight. General Ruger sent James Campbell and Interpreter "Tobacco Jake" down to learn their intentions. General Armstrong had told them that he had been sent by the Great Father to talk with them but that they had been bad and that they must give up these bad men to the soldiers, and as they had been bad he had turned the matter over entirely to General Ruger, who would deal with them as he saw fit.

Pretty Eagle said "We will give up Sword Bearer but we can not give up the others that are wanted."

General Ruger then said "I want all of those seven that fired into the agency buildings and will give them one hour and one half to come in."

He then said to "Crazy Hog" that he must bring his son, who was one of them. "Crazy Hog" replied that they would go back to the camp and talk to "Sword Bearer."

General Ruger said "That is all I have to say."

The Indians were watched by the command until the time was up. A few scattering shells were fired into the air at this time and the firing being up, General Ruger sent troops I and K down the valley on the left flank of the Indians where they were met by about half of the Indians gathered in the war party which numbered about fifteen hundred. A red hot skirmish then resulted in which Corporal Charles Sampson was killed, private Eugene Malloy slightly wounded and private Clark was thrown from his horse and his shoulder dislocated. These were all in troop K commanded by Lieutenant Edwards and Second Lieutenant Byram. A running fight ensued, the Indians retreating to the peaceful gathering that was near the agency, and others crossing the river taking to the hill.

Sword Bearer made a final stand at the crossing of the Little Horn, about one mile below the agency, in which he and probably three of his followers were killed. This was the result of the skirmish fire of G troop First cavalry, commanded by Captain F K Upham and Lieutenant F B Aleshire. Sword Bearer's body was brought to camp, but the other Indians are only reported dead.

Frightful Accident Caused by a Freight Conductor's Carelessness

ATCHISON, Kan, Nov 6—A fatal collision occurred at six o'clock yesterday morning at Brenner, a small station on the Atchison & Nebraska railroad, twelve miles north of Atchison. Freight train No 78, Andors engineer, and Ed Cavanagh, conductor, was standing on the main track, and the cannon-ball passenger train coming south, which had not been signaled to stop, came thundering around a curve and crashed into the rear end of the freight, completely telescoping the caboose, which was occupied by six graders on their way to Arkansas. A number of valves were torn off the locomotive and the hot steam poured in upon the men, who awoke from their slumbers to realize that they were being scalded to death. The passengers and train crews realized the situation in an instant and began rescuing the unfortunate men.

The worst of the injured was John Worth, of Red Oak, Ia, an unmarried man, about twenty three years of age, who was scalded so badly that his skin peeled off from his eyelids to his toes. He died at 11 30 a m, just as the relief train carrying the wounded men and delayed passengers pulled into Atchison.

Next to Worth, Willard Robinson of Sandsville, Ia, is the most seriously scalded, and will probably die.

T McPikowney, of Bloomfield Ill., Charles Pullman, of Muscatine, Ia, and A. F. Wilcox, of Northern Nebraska, had their hands and faces badly scalded and were pitiful sights to look at, but their burns are not fatal.

Besides their injuries from the steam all were more or less bruised about the body. One of the men in the far end of the caboose, C E Squires, of Waterbury, Conn., was not scalded and only slightly bruised.

The special train sent to Brenner from Atchison returned at 11 30 a m, conveying the men, passengers of the cannon ball and Drs Holland, Bogle and Winterrovd. The wounded men were taken to the city hospital.

The remains of Worth were prepared to be shipped to his home. Engineer Al Bradley and Fireman J Long of the cannon ball engine jumped from the cab when they saw it was impossible to avert a collision, and Bradley was uninjured, but Long had his right hand badly bruised.

The cause of the accident was the neglect of Conductor Ed Cavanagh of the freight train to send back a flagman to signal the approaching train, and it appears that he is aware of the fact, for he has not been seen since the accident occurred. He is about twenty-seven years old and has a wife and one child living at Wymore, Neb. Some of the railroad men say that his watch was too slow, and that he did not know that he was on the main track on the time of the passenger train. The passengers on the cannon-ball were shaken up a little, but none of them were injured.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

AMNESTY'S QUIETUS.

The Kind of Peace-Offering Bomb-Thrower Lingg Had Prepared.

Enough Dynamite Found in His Cell to Blow Up Half a Dozen Buildings.

A General Search Instituted, and the Condemned Men Forced to Change Their Quarters

CHICAGO, Nov 7—The cells of the seven condemned Anarchists in the county jail were searched yesterday and six loaded bombs were found hidden away in a wooden box which was concealed under a pile of newspapers in a corner. Some time ago Sheriff Matson decided to search and clean out the cells of the seven distinguished prisoners and yesterday was set for the examination. Word was sent by the sheriff to the friends of the condemned saying that no admittance would be given to the jail, and the entire force of deputy sheriffs reported at the jail for duty. It was shortly after half past nine o'clock when Lingg and Engel were led from their cells to the consultation cage and the search began. Engel's cell was first entered and thoroughly examined. The bed and bedding were looked over, cracks in the walls and table thoroughly explored and the clothing hanging around the cell searched, but beyond a few empty cigar boxes, some fruit, books and papers, nothing was found. Then the deputy sheriffs entered Lingg's cell, while its former occupant planted himself in a corner of his temporary prison, and watched them with eager eyes. He was as pale as death, and trembled like an aspen leaf as the searchers moved around in the little stone walled room. Suddenly two of the three men inside jumped out to the corridor, while a third man held at arm's length a small wooden box, which he carried carefully to the jail office and laid on Jailer Folz's desk. The box contained six pieces of gas-pipe, each about six or seven inches in length, filled with some heavy substance and plugged at both ends. Jailer Folz picked up one which was closed at one end with a round iron stopper, and one of the officers pronounced it a veritable dynamite bomb. Just then Sheriff Matson arrived at the jail and ordered that the dangerous weapons be placed in the box and sent to a chemist for analysis, though there was no doubt as to the result of the examination. Then the search was continued, but beyond a quantity of rubbish nothing was found.

The cells of Fischer, Parsons, Spies, Schwab and Fielden were next searched in the order named, but no contraband articles of any kind were found. It was decided however, that it was best to change the cells and accordingly four apartments on the lower tier were cleaned out. No 11, which is directly in front of the entrance to the jail and between two rows of iron gratings, in which space three men are on guard night and day, was prepared for Lingg's reception, and there the bomb manufacturer was locked up. He was given his bed, table, books and writing materials but everything else was kept from him. He immediately sat down and began to write, keeping at work all day until it was too dark to see. The next cell to that now occupied by Lingg is used as a kind of store room by the deputy jailers and is also inside of the space between the two gratings mentioned. Next west of this are cells 9 8 and 7, which were cleaned out and given up to Engel, Fischer and Parsons in the order named. Schwab and Fielden were allowed to retain their old cells Nos 26 and 27 on the second tier while Spies was taken from his old cell, No 24 and put into No. 2? just east of Schwab. All the prisoners except Lingg submitted to the change and search without displaying the slightest emotion. Lingg seemed much worried when he was told of what was contemplated and showed so plainly that something was wrong that the jailors were not so greatly surprised as they might have been over the discovery subsequently made.

Sheriff Matson was seen on the subject during the afternoon. He was very reticent at first, but, after consideration, made a clean breast of the whole affair.

"We had no reason," he said, "to make the search at this particular time. That is we received no intimation that anything was wrong. It was merely a precautionary measure, decided on some time ago by Jailer Folz and myself. We selected Sunday as a quiet day when the examination would make less disturbance than if it were made on a week day. For some time there was so much of this amnesty business going on that I did not care to interfere with the good citizens who were interested in the condemned men or place any obstacle in their way. But we felt as though the time had come to take extra precautions, and so decided to clean the cells out. Of course, in view of the developments of the search, the most stringent precautionary measures will now be taken. The prisoners will not be allowed to exercise as much as formerly and the number of visitors will be restricted. No one will be allowed to visit any of the condemned in the cage and if any interviews are granted it will be only to near relatives and in the presence of a jail official. I won't say that every visitor will be searched, but there will be no opportunity for any exchange of any thing whatever between the prisoners and outsiders. As for Lingg, I don't know that he will be allowed to see any one, but have not yet fully decided on that point. Henceforth no baskets of victuals or fruit will be allowed to be sent from any of the prisoners' friends to them, and no letters or dispatches will be received or sent until they are examined by a jail official."

"Will the condemned men be restricted to prison fare?"

"Well, no. They can have any thing they want to eat. From this time on they are my guests, and will be provided with any thing they desire to eat at my expense."

"Where did you send the bombs for examination?"

"That I don't care to say, I will tell you the result of the investigation to-morrow."

"Is there any significance in the distribution of the men in the new cells, Spies, Fielden and Schwab being allowed to remain on the second tier and the others placed under closer guard?"

"None, whatever. The new disposition of the men was the result of accident. First come, first served."

"Will any extra guards be placed over them?"

"Yes, sir. As I said, the time has come to take every possible precaution. They will be strongly guarded night and day and a special man will watch each of the prisoners from this time forward."

The sheriff walked into the jail-yard, and there met Captain Schaack, who entered through the Criminal Court building. The two officials walked into an obscure corner of the yard and had a long consultation. What the topic or result of the interview was could not be ascertained, but soon after the police on guard on the upper floor were called to attention and given a long talk before they were drilled.

Outside of the great sensation of the day things were quiet around the jail. There was an air of mystery all morning which was not explained before two o'clock. Admittance was denied to every one. Reporters were as rigorously excluded as any of the public.

Mrs. Schwab and Mrs Engel brought over baskets containing dinner for the loved prisoners, and left them at the door leading to the court-yard. Lingg's girl, the pretty Ida Mueller, came over with a basket for Lingg, and it, too, was left at the door.

About this time Sheriff Matson, accompanied by Chief Deputy Gleason, left the jail yard by the small gate, and were closely pursued by a small army of reporters. But they disapeared as mysteriously as a pea under the "con man's" nutshell, and were not found till half an hour later, when they said that there was nothing of consequence except a general cleaning up in the jail. But the air of mystery, which pervaded everything, could be felt, it was so thick, and the sheriff's denial was not very reassuring.

A reporter caught a deputy who let drop an inadvertent remark. It was nothing of importance, but the idea gained credence that Parsons and Lingg had concealed some poison in their cell and it had been discovered. This the sheriff subsequently denied and for a long time stuck to the story that nothing was wrong.

At two o'clock the reporters were admitted to the jail and found the same air of mystery. None of the deputies knew any thing, but they were omnipresent. Fully a dozen were inside the grating in the cells and half a dozen paced restlessly around the office. The baskets brought by the friends of the prisoners were not taken into the jail, and one brought by Mrs Van Zandt in person for August Spies met with a similar fate and was sent back to the sender. A messenger boy brought a dispatch for Spies, which the sheriff opened and read and then sent to the prisoner. He would not say what the dispatch contained or where it was from, but said that it contained nothing of a seditious character.

Engel was sick all night, and was unable to partake of any thing but a cup of coffee. The others were in excellent health, however, and not receiving any dinner until two o'clock asked eagerly for their mid day meal, and showed good appetites when they did receive it. The prisoners took the change of quarters quite as a matter of course, and read, wrote and smoked as though nothing unusual was going on.

The news of the finding of the bombs spread like wildfire. A universal reaction of the amnesty sentiment was immediately apparent. Hundreds of citizens who had signed the petition for clemency regretted their action and wished they had never appended their names to the paper. Twenty of the officers of the Central detail were in the squad room when a reporter entered and told them the news. Instantly there was a storm of indignation. The bombs recalled to them the scenes of the Haymarket, and there was but one expression of comment on the subject. One Lieutenant sarcastically remarked: "Well, they ought to pardon Lingg, any way."

The general opinion around the police stations was that whatever might be the fate of the others, Lingg's doom was sealed, and he would have to go to the gallows.

It is doubtful if the condemned men will longer be allowed to enjoy the privilege of reading the daily papers. It was suggested to the sheriff that the advertising columns might easily be utilized as a means of communication in cipher between them and the outsiders, and in all probability they will be deprived of their principal pleasure.

The Recent Explosion in St Louis

ST LOUIS Nov 6—All day yesterday the workmen at the ruins caused by the explosion on Fourteenth and Market streets were busily at work clearing out the debris in the cellar of No. 9, adjoining that occupied by the Newmans. The money for clearing away the ruins had been appropriated by Mayor Francis Friday, and the work progressed to the satisfaction of Coroner Frazer, who is thoroughly worked up on the explosion, and who proposes to investigate the matter regardless of expense or labor. The cellar of the Newman store had been cleaned out and nothing was found that would throw any light on the cause of the explosion so the workmen were instructed to remove the debris in the cellars of No 9 and 11. The work progressed satisfactorily yesterday without leading to the discovery of any trace of an explosive. The work was continued until darkness intervened, when it was stopped until to day.

The meter taken from the cellar of Newman's store is but slightly damaged, and the representatives of the gas company contend that the explosion was not caused by gas. The meters in Nos 9 and 11 will also be examined when taken out of the ruins.

The crowd around the ruins yesterday were of the opinion that the explosion had occurred in Boyle's cellar at No 9, but the workmen and others in a position to know, claimed that it was not. While the work was in progress Sergeant Tom Hennessy passed the ruins several times, but did not stumble against any more hanging lamps which resembled dynamite bombs. The coroner will probably begin the investigation of the case to morrow or Tuesday. A jury composed of experts in architecture, mining, engineering and chemistry will be summoned, and the inquest promises to be of unusual interest. Expert witnesses will also be summoned to testify concerning the strength of different explosives. Coroner Frazer is determined to make the investigation as complete as possible.

Driven Off a Bridge.

BOSTON, Nov 7—A carriage containing Mr. and Mrs Geo. e R?f two children, and Mr G T Butterfield was driven overboard at the Warren bridge between Boston and Charlestown yesterday. The carriage sank, but all the occupants were saved. Their escape was marvelous. The accident was caused by the bridge tender opening the gates before the draw was closed.

THE GOLDEN GATE.

The Mystery Surrounding the Benhayon Tragedy No Nearer Solution.

The Jury Bribery Cases--The Rivalry Between the Sante Fe and Central Pacific Systems.

The Failure of Ackerman Brothers--The Pacific Mail and the De Campo Line--Prohibitionists Pleased.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 7.—Notwithstanding that two weeks have elapsed since the investigation in the now celebrated Benhayon case began, it is as far solution from as when it first attracted public attention. Dozens of witnesses have been placed on the stand, but where one dispeled part of the mystery, the next again beclouded the case. Thus has it continued, and the detectives and police are in dispair. John Dimmig who is still in custody on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of Benhayon, bore his confinement heroically until Friday. Up to that time he looked cheerful and talked freely. On that day he engaged counsel, and has since become reticent and moody, and refused to talk about the affair with reporters. During the past week the murder theory has increased, though it is generally admitted that nothing has been brought out in the course of the inquest that would convict, or even implicate Dimmig in the murder of Benhayon. A new feature is the opinion now held by many that the crime was the work of three persons, and that Dimmig was only an innocent dupe. His complete sang froid and reticence about certain details of his story strengthen this belief.

A sensation was produced on Friday afternoon when Dr. Bowers, who is believed to be the chief counsellor in the alleged murder case, was placed on the stand. He stood the ordeal of questions and cross questioning without the slightest nervousness and gave his evidence apparently in the frankest manner. The indifference of Dimmig and a lack of any evidence directly connecting him with the tragedy gives those who hold the suicide theory grounds for their belief. The inquest was adjourned on Saturday afternoon until Tuesday. It is believed by that time sufficient evidence will have been collected to effectually settle all doubt in the matter.

Although the Benhayon case has, to a great extent, overshadowed the jury bribery cases, in the mind of the public, they have not been lost to sight by the courts. Justice gained another vindication last week by the conviction of Frank T. Northey, who was a go between in bribing the jury in the Wright case. Blind justice though having aimed well where minor culprits were concerned, fell wide of the mark in the case of the principals of this trial R F Morrow and James McCord. But she will have another chance at them a week hence. Thus far efforts to purify the judicial system have only resulted in the imprisonment, of Little Pete and Emerson and the conviction of Northey and Creighton. The latter is now a fugitive from justice, but there is a good chance of his being returned to this country to undergo his sentence. In connection with the disagreements of the juries in the case of Morrow and McCord, it is freely said that jury-fixing was a an successfully tried. Now that Northey has been convicted, there is a better prospect of bringing the crime of jury bribery home to the principals. During the first trials of Morrow and McCord, Northey refused to testify on the ground that his testimony would tend to convict him of felony. It is believed that means will now be found to induce him to tell all he knows. He may be gagged with sack by one side, but on the other he will be held out to the probability of a light sentence if he turns friendly to the people.

Strong rumors are again in circulation that the Santa Fe system is seeking to obtain a direct entrance into this city. It is now stated that the San Francisco & San Joaquin Valley railroad projected from Antioch to Mojave is being constructed for them. The recent inauguration of fast trains which make the trip in five days between Los Angeles and New York by the Southern Pacific railroad, and the prospect of similar time soon being made over the Central Pacific and its eastern connections between San Francisco and New York has put the Santa Fe people on their mettle, and pointed out to them that they must make some move to offset the advantages thus gained by their determined and dangerous competitors.

Quite a ripple of excitement was created when the failure of Ackerman Brothers and their immediate connections was announced last week for an aggregate of $40,000. The firm is one of the best known in the city and general sympathy was expressed for them. They have the utmost confidence of the community and with the strong backing they were known to have outside their own resources it is believed that they will be able to pull through the crisis, and resume business without any one being much hurt by their temporary embarrassment.

Another skirmish has taken place between the Pacific Mail Company and the De Campo Line of steamers. The former company has made an additional reduction of fifteen per cent., thus putting rates to forty per cent less than they were before the advent of the De Campo steamers. Agents of De Campo state that they will meet the reduction of the Pacific Mail, and probably go it somewhat better. On the other hand, the old company express a determination to try their adversaries in such a way that they will be able to obtain as much business as they desire. The statement of Edward Lauterbach, of the Pacific Mail, telegraphed from New York, that DeCampo's line had no effect on his company's business, because the opposition has only three steamers, is looked upon as more chaff. It is true that only three steamers have thus far arrived at this port, but more are on the way, and they will continue to come until the fleet of nine vessels is placed regularly on the line.

There was much rejoicing in the camp of the Prohibitionists last week throughout California over the decision of the State Supreme Court, which held that the municipality has a right to regulate the liquor traffic within its own boundary, there being nothing in the Constitution to invalidate such action.

"WHEN GREEK MEETS GREEK"

The "Tug of War" Between the Black Diamond Railway System and the Baltimore & Ohio.

ZANESVILLE, O, Nov 7—At seven o'clock yesterday morning Colonel Boone, general manager of the Black Diamond railway system, with a large number of workmen and the assistance of the Cincinnati & Muskingum Valley road, began to lay the track of the City Belt line on the land recently purchased by the Baltimore & Ohio and the Zanesville, Newcomerstown & Cleveland railways in this city, between Market and North streets. Two carloads of workmen and the police force were brought down from Newark by the Baltimore & Ohio for the purpose of protecting their rights and property, and rumors are afloat that a large number of men are expected here to tear up the track laid by Colonel Boone.

At half-past twelve o'clock the militia were ordered out on a telegram from Governor Foraker to Adjutant-General Axline, who is in the city to protect Colonel Boone and prevent a possible riot, the whole force being inadequate to preserve order.

Neither Judge Phillips of the Common Pleas Court nor Probate Judge Foley was in the city, and early in the day a special train went to Cambridge bearing Mr. Frank Durban, the Baltimore & Ohio attorney, to secure an injunction from Judge Campbell restraining Colonel Boone from further operations. The warrant was served on the Colonel at 2 p. m., who ignored it on account of his name being misspelled, and, jumping into his carraige was rapidly driven away. The officers then attempted to serve the warrant on Vice-President Marshall and Secretary Wedge, who also eluded them in their absence. The city marshall's attempt to arrest Colonel Boone for desecrating the Sabbath, was met by the Colonel with the careless remark that he would pay his fine in the morning.

The Baltimore & Ohio authorities claim the warrant served on Colonel Boone was sufficient in law, and that all his further operations were done in contempt of court. Great excitement prevails, and thousands of spectators visited the railroads to-day. The force of men continued at work and hoped to complete the track from Main street to the Glessner Paper Mill's property before midnight. The militia and police force are still on patrol duty, and so far all is quiet.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Sudden Death of Baron Wolverton—Wouldn't Don the Prison Garb.

French Sympathizers With American Bomb-Throwers--A Significant Summons.

England

SUDDEN DEATH

LONDON, Nov 7—Baron Wolverton died suddenly yesterday at the Hotel Brighton. He attended the races at Lewes on Friday, and was apparently in good health Saturday.

RETURNED TO LONDON

LONDON, Nov 7—Minister Phelps returned to London to day and resumed his residence here for the winter.

Ireland

RESCUED BY THE PRISON PHYSICIAN.

DUBLIN, Nov 7—The authorities of the Tullamore jail attempted yesterday to enforce the order of the Dublin executive to clothe Mr O'Brien in the uniform of a convict. Mr O'Brien resisted the attempt, declaring that he would suffer death rather than submit to the indignity sought to be imposed upon him. After an exciting struggle the prison physician interfered and ordered the attendants to desist, as in the state of Mr. O'Brien's health further attempts would result seriously. The governor of the prison, acting on the advice of the surgeon, suspended action in the matter.

BISMARCK ILL

BERLIN, Nov 7—Prince Bismarck is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

France

SYMPATHIZERS WITH MURDERERS

MARSEILLES, Nov 7—A large and violent meeting of Anarchists was held here last night, at which resolutions giving warning to American representatives in France that their safety would be endangered by the execution of the condemned Chicago Anarchists. A deputation was selected to convey a copy of the resolutions to the American consulate, but the Consul was absent from his office. The deputation quietly withdrew after leaving their message with the attaches.

THE DECORATIONS SCANDAL

PARIS, Nov 7—Several of the leading Paris journals express the opinion that the inquiry into the Cafferel Wilson scandal is entirely too broad to insure a practical result. Seventy members of the Chamber of Deputies have signed a paper signifying their approval of a motion in favor of total abolition of the practice of conferring decorations upon civilians.

Denmark

A SIGNIFICANT SUMMONS

COPENHAGEN Nov 7—The Czar has summoned M DeGiers, Prime Minister of Russia, to attend him here at once. The significance of the summons is unknown.

Sad Accident to a Party of Young People

PITTSFIELD, Mass, Nov 7—A wagon containing five girls and a boy was upset near Pomeroy's bridge Saturday night and all the occupants were injured as follows. Annie Brett, severe bruises, ankle sprained, Jane Cleary, face torn, arm dislocated, severe bruises, will be disfigured for life; Mary Casey, concussion of spine, severe scalp wounds, Nellie Casey, collar bone broken, hip dislocated, Julia Sullivan, right hip contused, arm sprained, concussion of spine, badly cut and bruised.

The accident was caused by Brett's turning the horse sharply in the road to avoid going on the bridge, as the animal showed fright, and the boy was afraid he would run off into the river. The ages of the party range from seventeen to twenty-two years.

A Brutal Base Ball Player.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov 7—Henry Vaughn, catcher of the New Orleans base ball nine, became involved in a difficulty with Emma Conrad, alias Georgie Samules, formerly of Chicago and one of the queens of the local demi-monde. The affair occurred on the second floor of a bagnio on Custom House street. After words had passed between the two, Vaughn attempted to beat Emma, who, becoming alarmed, jumped out of the window into the street, a distance of twenty feet. She escaped serious injuries, but sustained severe bruises about the body. Her friends picked her up and carried her to her room, where she was attended by a physician. Vaughn made his escape, but the police started on his trail and will probably catch him soon.

A STRANGE STORY.

Two Young Tourists Allured Aboard an Oyster Boat and Kidnaped.

Brutal Treatment and Desperate Escape--The Outrage Said to be One of Frequent Occurrence

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Two young men, shoeless and hatless, with tattered clothes, weather-beaten faces and dejected and despairing manner, applied for lodging at the first precinct station-house Saturday night. They gave their names as Edward S. Curran and John H. Scrivener, and, on being questioned by the officer in charge, they told a story to the effect that they were kidnaped in Baltimore, just one month before, and have been kept on board an oyster boat until they escaped by taking to the water and swimming for nearly a mile, while their captors were too hopelessly drunk to interfere. Their story was so straightforward and the references they furnished so unquestionable, that there can be no doubt of its truthfulness. Both of them are telegraph operators. Curran is nineteen years of age, and has been employed at the Produce Exchange in New York, while his friend Scrivener had gone to New York from Atlanta to pay him a visit, both intending to return to Atlanta together. They were fairly well provided with money, and having purchased their through tickets they left New York a little more than a month ago. Arriving in Baltimore, they determined, as neither of them had seen the city, to stop off for a few hours. Accordingly they left the train at the Union depot and started to walk about the streets. Before proceeding far they were accosted by a neatly-dressed and pleasant-looking young man, who seemed to be exceedingly kind, and who told them more about the city than they could have learned in a week's stay. In their gratitude the two youths confided to their new friend considerable information concerning themselves including their projected trip to Atlanta. This last bit of information was received by the stranger with every manifestation of delight. He was going to Norfolk, Va., on the following day in his yacht he said, and he invited the two young men to accompany him. They did not accept the invitation, however, but they consented to accompany him on board the vessel merely to inspect it. Accordingly the trio hastened to the water front, where a row boat in waiting quickly conveyed them to a large sloop a short distance out. Their new acquaintance suddenly informed them that he must return to the shore for a few moments and requested them to await his return. They were immediately ordered to work by the captain, and on crying loudly to the shore for help were beaten and imprisoned in the hold. They were relased when the sloop was well down the bay. Arriving at the Hunga river, they were put to work dredging for oysters, receiving kicks and blows for every moment they were idle or made the slightest mistake. At first Curran and Scrivener thought that by appealing to the oyster traders, that they would be aided to escape; but after one or two appeals which were laughed at by those to whom they were addressed, they resigned themselves to their fate. Last Saturday night the captain and mate went ashore and returned in the evening drunk. The young men determined to make an effort for liberty. The shore was nearly a mile away, but they determined to swim for it. They finally reached the shore and landed half fainting and entirely naked in a strange country at the dead of night. They managed, however, to find a telegraph operator at the little village of Crapo, where they landed and he at once found them shelter and some clothing very much the worse for wear. The operator also furnished them with money enough to reach Baltimore, and they arrived there on last Tuesday. They at once applied to a policeman for information concerning the proper method of bringing their abductors to justice, but the officers laughed at them and told them that such cases were of frequent occurrence in Baltimore. This caused them to abandon all idea of having the oysterman arrested and after spending a day or two in Baltimore, during which time they were cared for by the telegraph operators, they left for this city and arrived Saturday night. They propose to remain here, if possible, for several days, until they can communicate with some of their friends in Atlanta.

Mysteriously Missing.

ST. LOUIS Nov 6—At an early hour this morning a young man, wearing a nervous and troubled look walked into the Fifth district police station and asked if there was not some way of communicating with Bellefountaine cemetery. He said that his name was Hill, but he imparted no other information concerning himself. He said that his mother had gone to a funeral during the afternoon, and that she failed to return in the evening. He stated that he had seen several persons who had attended the funeral, and none of them had seen his mother since the carriages left the cemetery. He was unable to explain what had delayed his mother and was very anxious to have the police make inquiries to ascertain if she had met with an accident at or near the cemetery. The mounted police officers riding in the vicinity of the cemetery were notified of the matter and made a thorough search of Bellefontaine, but without finding any trace of the missing lady. The moon cast a bright light on the paths and drives in the cemetery and made every object clear to the searching party who, after thoroughly traversing the cemetery, concluded that Mrs Hill was not there. The relatives of the missing lady were notified of the result of the search, and they decided to call upon those whom they knew had attended the funeral with the hope of getting some tangible clew that would aid them in locating her whereabouts. At two o'clock this morning the search was still in progress, nothing new having been learned up to that hour.

IT is wonderful to see the line of Clothing Cheap Charley is getting in this Fall
d&w

Slight Advance in Wages Offered.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov 7—Messrs. Pardee, Coxe and Derringer, the largest individual operators in the Lehigh anthracite region, who have been working their mines since the strike begun with non-union hands, have tendered their laborers an advance of four per cent. over the wages paid when the strike begun, as the advance in coal during October was sufficient to warrant this. The same offer, it is stated, is open to the striking miners with the understanding that when the price of coal goes down that it will be taken off and that if there are any further advances in the price of coal, the miners shall have the benefit of it. Thus far the miners have not accepted the offer, and it is not believed that they will, as it is eleven per cent. below the demand by them. The statement telegraphed from the Lehigh region that William Carter would give his miners an advance is said to have been based upon the fact that he would offer them the same advance that had been offered by the other operators, four per cent.

To be Shut Down Indefinitely

PITTSFIELD, Mass, Nov. 7.—The large woolen mills of T. Pomeroy Sons will shut down in a few days for an indefinite period period owing to dissension among the heirs to the estate of the late Theodore Pomeroy. The estate will be settled in the courts.

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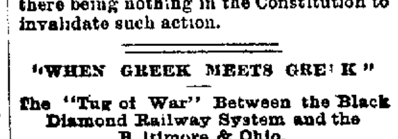

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LOST—A small black leather purse, containing about $21, between the old coal shaft and my residence, 3½ miles northwest of Forsyth. Money consisted of $20 gold piece, balance in silver. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to this office. CHAS. H. BEVINS.

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PRICES—50 cents, 75 cents and $1.

Sale of seats will begin Thursday, Nov. 10 at Prescott's Music Parlor.

NOTICE.

To Whom it may Concern:

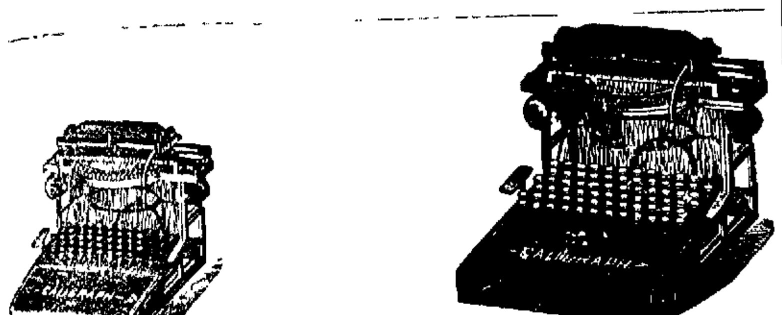
Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Illinois on Friday, Nov. 18, 1887, for the pardon of Charles Houston, convicted of the crime of ... at the January term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1887.
Oct. 27, 1887-d3w

Executrix' Notice.

Estate of John M. Gault, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executrix of the estate of John M. Gault, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 22nd day of October, 1887.
HATTIE J. GAULT, Executrix.

✻ CALIGRAPHS. ✻



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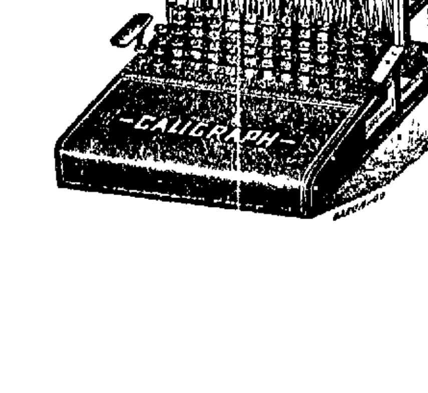

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MONDAY EVE., NOV. 7, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

POTPOURI, at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

THE city council will meet in regular session this evening.

You are invited to try Clarkson's famous free lunch. 2-d6

THE state elections will occur to-morrow. The fight in New York and Ohio is hot.

TELEPHONE for canned goods and groceries to Niedermeyer on the mound.

AN old actor named H. Barney (not James A.) is to begin a series of temperance meetings at the tabernacle to-morrow night.

THE funeral of Mrs. Sylvanus Cooper, who died of lung fever, aged 45 years, took place at Maroa on Saturday. Her death was sudden.

THE Round Oak heaters and the Palace King furnaces sold by Lytle & Eckels are in demand.

HEAR Prof. French, the caricaturist, at the opera house to-night. It will be the first entertainment of the Decatur Lecture Course.

WHITE LOAF flour is sold by all leading grocers in the city.

You will miss a first-class entertainment if you fail to hear French to-night. Season tickets may be obtained at Prescott's up to six o'clock.

ASSURANCES are received that Judge Smith will positively visit Decatur next Saturday.

THE advance sale of seats for the Dunlap-McCaull "Black Hussar" will begin on Thursday morning. Prices 50 and 75 cents; reserved seats $1.00.

You will need a new cutter for the snow season. Buy one at D. F. Hamsher's establishment. Low prices.

THE Chicago friends of Eugene O'Neill, adjudged insane, have thus far failed to materialize. Chief Ebersold telegraphed Marshal Mason from Chicago that they would leave that city for Decatur Saturday night. They are not here. O'Neill is in custody.

S. P. COWAN, the grocer in Haworth block, makes a specialty of California canned goods.

THIS is the last week of agony of waiting for the Chicago anarchists. The general belief of Decatur people is that the condemned will have to hang.

THE place to get anything you want in the grocery line delivered promptly is at Hanks & Patterson's store, 143 South Water street.

THE attendance at the Communion service at the Baptist church Sunday was the largest in the history of the society.

THE Wabash will sell tickets at reduced rates during the fat stock show in Chicago, selling round trip tickets on Nov. 8, 11 and 15 at $6.45, which includes a ticket to the fat stock show. 7-d6

THE executor's sale of the J. L. Fenton household property on Saturday aggregated about $3,000. Everything went low. H. W. Fenton will have the old brick residence torn down during the present month, preparatory to putting up a business block on that corner.

FAIL not to remember that Knode & Osborne, the grocers, handle fresh Baltimore oysters.

THE Dunlap Opera Company, which plays Black Hussar here next Saturday night, goes from here to St. Louis to open at the Grand Opera House in that city. Arrangements have been made for special sleeper to accommodate this large company, to which they will retire after the performance. It will thus be seen that there is no reason for the performance not being given in its entirety. The opera will play until a quarter to eleven o'clock.

J. LYTLE & Co., the grocers in Opera block, make a specialty of Vienna bread, rolls and fruits.

FOR the Fat Stock, Dairy and Poultry shows to be held at the Chicago Exposition building, November 8th to 18th, the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Decatur to Chicago at $6.45 for round trip. Tickets will be sold on Friday, Nov. 4th, Tuesday, Nov. 8th, Friday, Nov. 11th, and Tuesday, Nov. 15th, good to return five days from date of sale. Exhibitors paying full fare going will be returned at one-third fare on certificate of secretary. 4-d6

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Mediums	25c per qt. can		
Stars—extra mediums	35c	"	"
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THE Upright Piano is a specialty with *Haines Bros.*, and for beauty of finish sweetness and richness of tone, they are not surpassed by anything to be found in the world.—*New York Baptist*

Masonic.

Special convocation of Macon Chapter No. 21 R. A. Masons, this (Monday) evening at 7 sharp, for work in the M. M. degree.

J. C. HO[illegible] [illegible]ROSTHWAIT, H. P.

[illegible]SPENSARY [illegible]sec.
63 Main [illegible]

Sam Jones Receives $250 and Talks at 800 People Less than Two Hours.

The renowned pulpit and platform sensation, Samuel P. Jones, hailing from the state of Georgia, filled his engagement at the tabernacle Saturday night, before an audience of 800 people, many of whom came in from the country towns and precincts to see and hear the young Southerner of 35 years of ups and downs on earth deliver his lecture on "Get There," without the Eli. Sam is a spare young man of dark complexion, dark hair, long black eyes, and wears a long moustache and the regulation platform suit of broadcloth. He is going about the country at present lecturing under the auspices of the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, and was engaged by A. F. Smith to lecture here at the usual rate, $250, which he received, leaving Mr. Smith a handsome margin for his time and trouble, the total receipts aggregating about $400.

Sam was formally introduced by Mr. Smith, and talked in a conversational style for one hour and a half. The title had but little to do with the lecture. It was simply an oddity, chosen to make people talk about it and wonder what he could make of it. They found out. He talked on religion, preachers, every day life, temperance and politics, dodging here and there as it suited him, after walking about the stage and pulling at his moustache. He had a happy way of telling the plain truth and making startling points, which brought forth laughter and clapping of hands. But it must not be supposed that all the bright things uttered were given off-hand, the inspiration of the moment. No doubt Sam had spent many weary hours in massing stories and points to "git there," and now he is reaping the harvest. Talking with those who heard the lecture the reporter has learned that some were woefully disappointed, while others were captivated by the man and his sometimes extravagant utterances. Generally it is voted a novel and entertaining lecture. There were many sharp digs at the preachers and professing christians, and yet the preachers and church people grinned and laughed as the Georgian hit them between the eyes. One Methodist remarked yesterday: "Yes, I heard Sam, but I didn't think much of him. I had much rather hear one of the solid sermons delivered by my preacher than hear a dozen of Jones' lectures. There is vastly more in the sermon." Still Sam will go on drawing the crowds and lining his pockets with silver dollars to meet the expenses of his family of 56 members, asylum children, down in Georgia. He has engagements for every night until next summer. He is young yet, and if he retains his health he will manage to keep the wolf from the door. He left for the north Saturday night.

Mowing Machine Trial.

A gentleman representing a good thing, a patent mowing machine that excels all others, is now in the city with a view of establishing a $150,000 plant here, giving employment to over 100 men. He was in conference with the Decatur Board of Trade Saturday night. In order to demonstrate the merit of his machine, he will give a public exhibition or trial on the Powers farm northeast of the city tomorrow afternoon. The Board of Trade invites all interested to witness the trial. There will be vehicles at the St. Nicholas hotel at one o'clock to carry the people to the farm.

Sales of Real Estate.

Catherine Long and others to the Terre Haute & Peoria R. R. Co., a strip of land in 3, 18, 2, along the railroad, $500.

E. L. Martin to G. W. Hardy, lot 10, block 6, Higgins' addition, $1200.

Amos Cherry to B. A. Cherry, lot 7, in 19, 15, 1, $250.

A Rosy Report.

On Sunday the *Globe-Democrat* contained the following in concluding a a write-up of the recent official inspection of the Wabash system:

Supt. Wade found everything in ship-shape order on the Wabash Eastern, even down to East St. Louis, where he and a portion of his party spent the entire day on Friday. Indeed Mr. McNulta's end of the Wabash is pursuing the even tenor of its way the same as if it was not to be absorbed by its other and smaller half. Improvements are constantly going on, and the road has hardly ever been in better condition than at present. The new shops at Decatur are turning out splendid work, supplying cars that suit the wants and demands of the Wabash Eastern in every respect.

THE Hyde Specialty Company, with Flora Moore, the character vocalist, Sam Devere, banjo soloist, the eccentric Vidocq, the Martell family, and other celebrities, should fill the hall Friday night. The performance will conclude with a laughable comedy. Prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents. Sale of seats opens Wednesday morning.

BUSINESS men and residents demand that the city cause a low light to be put at the Water street crossing of the Wabash road. That is one of the darkest and most dangerous points in the city for passing teams and pedestrians, and should be properly illuminated to prevent deeds of darkness and accidents.

CARPETS, wall paper, curtains and oil-cloths, an entirely new stock, just opened up. Capt. T. J. Abel would be pleased to have you call and examine these goods at the old stand of Abel & Locke. oc25-d&w1m

An Inquiry.

In view of the prompt action of the city clerk in taking advantage of the wording of the ordinance to enforce the payment of a license fee for the Sam Jones lecture, and also the vigorous action of the police force in preventing one small boy from passing Sam Jones bills to people on the street, would it not be well to continue the spasmodic vigilance on the part of the city officers, by raiding the gambling dens, cleaning out houses of ill repute, enforcing the law against selling liquor on Sunday and to minors and persons in the habit of becoming intoxicated? ALBERT F. SMITH.

Notice.

All persons having accounts against me will please present the same at the office of J. T. Roberts, 136 Merchant St., over Mueller's gun store. Also any one indebted to me can see their account at the same place.

5-d2 H. B. COLE, Druggist.

Decatur Coal.

The Decatur Coal Company is always prepared to supply the local trade with fuel at the lowest ruling prices. Prompt delivery a specialty. Up-town office at Armstrong's drug store—telephone 227. Oct2-3tf

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Saturday last Overseer Newell had to take charge of a demented young woman who had been found lingering unusually long at the Union depot, where she was found asleep under one of the benches in the ladies' waiting room. The officers talked with her and found, after repeated inquiries, that her name is Louisa Nelson, aged about 21, fairly well dressed, of handsome appearance, and having a trunk full of clothes and a little money. She couldn't tell whence she came nor where she was bound. It was inferred from one remark she made that she had acquaintances or relatives at Macon. She was sent there on a county order, but was returned on the next train. It was not known that she had struck Decatur again until she was discovered asleep behind one of the depot benches. It was thought at first that some wretch had doped, betrayed and deserted the girl, but that theory does not now obtain. That the girl is addled is plain. On Sunday the Overseer had Miss Nelson taken to the poor farm, where she will remain until something reliable can be learned about her home or friends. Her mind became clearer on Sunday, when Steward Magee learned that his charge had worked for a family named Gardner, near Mattoon. She lost her place there because the Gardner folks had removed to a western state. She says she was born in Wisconsin and that her parents are dead. It is a queer case—one of the most curious freaks Mr. Newell has struck since he has been overseer. Even Officer Lilly has to give it up.

Death of Mrs. E. G. Falconer.

Mrs. Alice Falconer, widow of Enoch G. Falconer, died of lung fever at Parsons, Kansas, at 5 o'clock this (Monday) morning, aged 72 years. The deceased was the mother of Frank A. and Miss Annie Falconer, of Decatur, and Mrs. J. F. McDonald, of Parsons, at whose home she died after an illness of about a week. Mrs. F. went to Kansas less than three weeks ago, and was in her usual good health when she departed. Mrs. Falconer was a member of the First M. E. church and had resided in Decatur since 1852. She was a noble christian woman who had a wide circle of personal friends.

The remains will arrive in Decatur tomorrow in charge of the three children, Frank and Annie having been summoned to Parsons by telegraph on Saturday.

The time of the funeral will be announced later.

PERSONAL MENTION.

R. E. Pratt, of the *Review*, left for Chicago last night on business.

Mrs. Jennie Gilchrist and son left for Lincoln Saturday afternoon.

Roe Boynton and wife, of Chicago, are in the city visiting relatives.

Misses Julia Hornstein and Emma Graves are visiting friends at Centralia.

Major J. J. B. Dubois, of Denver, Colorado, is a guest at the St. Nicholas. The Major is looking well and is prosperous.

Hon. J. J. Peddecord and daughter, Mrs. Brandau, will leave for Chicago tomorrow.

Mrs. Annie G. Welsh, of York, Penn., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. W. N. Zimmerman, at the Park Hotel.

Rev. J. H. Gilliland is no longer pastor of the Christian church at Harristown. He has resigned the pastorate.

Harvey A. Wood and Miss Mary M. Schneider, of Decatur township, were granted a marriage license to-day.

Mrs. F. B. Daggy and son, of York, Neb., who have been in the city visiting relatives for a number of weeks, left for home to-day.

Mrs. I. J. Halstead, of Gainesville, Florida, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Pease, at Cisco, was in the city to-day.

Hon. Jason Rogers left for Chicago today to attend a business meeting of the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners.

Geo. T. Tucker was called to Springfield this morning because of the dangerous illness of his mother, Mrs. E. G. Tucker, who has been growing worse since Wednesday. Her condition is alarming.

Patti Rosa, maid and manager, of New York; Hon. R. McWilliams, Senator Southworth, Litchfield; Rev. Sam Jones; Ex-Mayor J. J. B. DuBois, Denver, and P. B. Hasbrouck, N. Y., were among the guests of the St. Nicholas on Saturday and Sunday.

H. M. Baker, of Georgetown, New Mexico, formerly of Long Creek, who has been here for several weeks visiting relatives, friends and old schoolmates, says, while Decatur is a live business place and a booming town, that Georgetown and the sunny Southwest have their advantages and attractions, and with bandana and beaver in either hand bids Decatur adieu for the present.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

The grand lodge of Odd Fellows of this state will meet at Cairo on the 15th of the present month. Among other subjects of importance to be considered at that time will be that of the state orphans' home, to be erected and maintained by the order. The idea seems to have been very favorably considered by a number of lodges in the state and it is quite probable that the matter will be acted on. The home will most likely not be located at Springfield, as Mr. James E. Ticknor, P. G. M., president of the Rockford Watch company, has promised that in case of the location of the home at Rockford he will donate an endowment of $10,000. The grand lodge will pay out about $15,500 for mileage and per diem for the members in attendance at the coming session at Cairo, exclusive of the expenses of the grand encampment which meets at the same time and place, which will cost about $5,000 additional.

THE famous Woody Brothers' Quartette will appear at the tabernacle tonight. They come highly recommended. The Light Guard band has the management of the entertainment. Prices 20 and 30 cents.

SATURDAY night the Patti Rosa company had Sam Jones for opposition, but they had a big audience and gave a clever presentation of "Bob," a three-act comedy which allowed the star to sing and dance herself into the hearts of the spectators. She is a hoydenish, light-hearted and nimble-footed artist who has appeared here in former years with Gardner and in "Rooms for Rent." She has a good company. All left for St. Louis Sunday morning to fill a week's engagement. Miss Rosa was warmly applauded.

A SINGLE bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla will establish the merits of this medicine as a blood purifier. Many thousands of people are yearly cured of chronic diseases by the faithful use of this remedy. It is unequaled for the cure of scrofula.

THE Comfort Corset at Miss Miller's. o27d1w*

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lars, a veteran of Co. E, 116th Illinois Regiment, and the past senior vice commander of Dunham Post 141, G. A. R., took place from the First M. E. church on Sunday afternoon, and was attended largely by veterans and members of the church, who filled the lecture room completely. The pastor, Rev. James Miller, conducted the services, the church choir furnishing appropriate music. The casket containing the remains was draped with the stars and stripes and there were beautiful floral tributes. The escort to Greenwood Cemetery was composed of about 80 members of Dunham Post, including the firing squad, followed by relatives and friends in vehicles. At the grave the beautiful burial ceremony of the Grand Army of the Republic was observed, and parting volleys were fired over the last resting place of the departed comrade, who in his lifetime was an honored and patriotic citizen.

May Success Attend Him.

Mr. Will C. Andress, who has so long been in the employ of the Decatur Furniture Co., as a traveling salesman, left yesterday morning for Galesburg, where he goes to engage in the retail furniture trade, as a member of the firm of Dean & Andress. Mr. Andress is one of the most enterprising and stirring of men, and in the language of the day, "allows no flies to roost on him." He is an acquisition to any town, and while we regret to lose him we congratulate Galesburg upon gaining so good a citizen, so live a business man, so good a Republican and such a royal fellow.

Charged with Robbery.

Fanny Sechrist, who is no stranger in the courts, is in jail, having been put there Saturday night on a state warrant, charging her with robbery. The complainant is Thomas Huggins, a farm hand who has been in the employ of Jack Renshaw. He got paid off Friday, came to the city, bought a new suit of clothes, and with $20 and some change in his pockets, happened to meet Fannie. A hack was hired and they took a ride to the country. When they got back Tom made a kick and said that Fan had robbed him of $20 in paper money that he had in his vest pocket. She denied it, and the arrest followed. The trial will be had this afternoon before Justice Curtis. Fannie says her home is at Pekin, where her husband resides.

The Black Hussar.

The famous topical trio, "Read the answer in the stars," which occurs in the last act of the Black Hussar, (which will be given at the opera house next Saturday night), was not in the original score of the opera, although the opera has never been given in English without it. Those who have seen the Black Hussar in the original German (in which language it is called Der Feldprediger—the Army Chaplain) know this, and probably recognize its source. It was written by Carl Millocker, the composer of the opera, but was first given in a German farce entitled Die Naherin—the Seamstress. It is the hit of the last act, and good managerial judgment is shown in placing it there. There are 45 people in the troupe, which has its own orchestra.

AVOID the harsh, irritating, griping compounds so often sold as purgative medicine, and correct the irregularities of the bowels by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. They are invaluable as a family medicine.

The Bement Case.

The jury in the Josie Carman abduction case in the Champaign circuit court returned their verdict Saturday, giving Wm. Henderson, who was arrested with the girl at Bement, Ill., ten years in the penitentiary, his brother John two years as an accomplice, and his sister, Mrs. Shutt, one year, and her husband, Carl Shutt, two years. The case created great excitement in the community. Josie Carman appears to be about 15 years old. She was secreted from her parents at the Shutt residence on the night on which Henderson got her out of the city. The jury signed a petition recommending mercy for Mrs. Shutt. A similar case is to come up in the Decatur court at the next term. The parties hailing from Delavan.

WHEN the people of Centralia, Ill., awoke yesterday morning they were almost stifled with the smoke which filled their houses. Grave apprehension prevails throughout Marion county, owing to the reports constantly coming in that fires are raging in the timber and prairie districts. The water supply is very scarce, and much suffering is anticipated, as it is feared that the worst has not come yet.

A STATEMENT purports to come from Mr. Lawrence Barrett that the association formed between himself and Mr. Booth is likely to continue for the rest of their lives. It is understood that the plans of the two eminent tragedians include the control of a theatre in New York which will be the highest exponent of the legitimate drama in America. It will be greatly to the benefit of dramatic art if this splendid project shall be realized, as it is altogether probable it will be. Mr. Booth's heart has long been in such an undertaking, and he wrecked one fortune in endeavoring to consummate it. The chances of success for such an effort have greatly improved in recent years, and the assistance of Mr. Barrett should now take the attempt out of the possibility of failure.

DIED.

On Saturday evening, November 5, at 5 o'clock, near Niantic, of stomach trouble, Robert Moore, aged 75 years.

The funeral took place on Monday. Burial at the Dingman cemetery.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, agent of J. M. Shaw & Co., Commission Merchants:

WHEAT—72 Nov; 73 Dec; 73⅜ Jan; 78¾ May.
CORN—41⅛ Nov; 41 Dec; 41 Jan; 45⅛ May.
OATS—25⅛ Nov; 25⅝ Dec; 26 Jan; 29⅛ May.
PORK—$13.00 Nov; $12.40 Dec; $12.60 Jan.
LARD—$6.40 Nov; $6.40; Dec; $6.45 Jan.
RIBS—$6.30 Nov; $6.32 Dec; $6.35 Jan.
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 30,000; prospects slow.
Cattle, 7,500; prospects steady.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter 21; Spring, 154; Corn, 261; Oats, 209.

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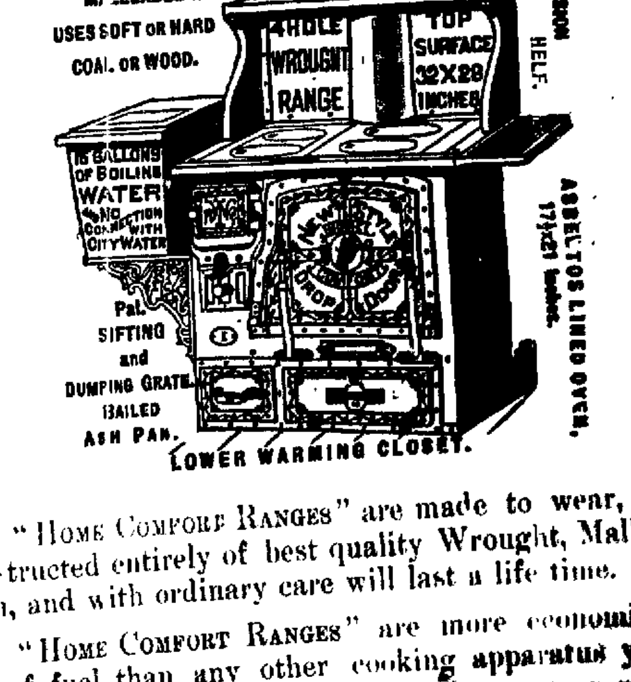

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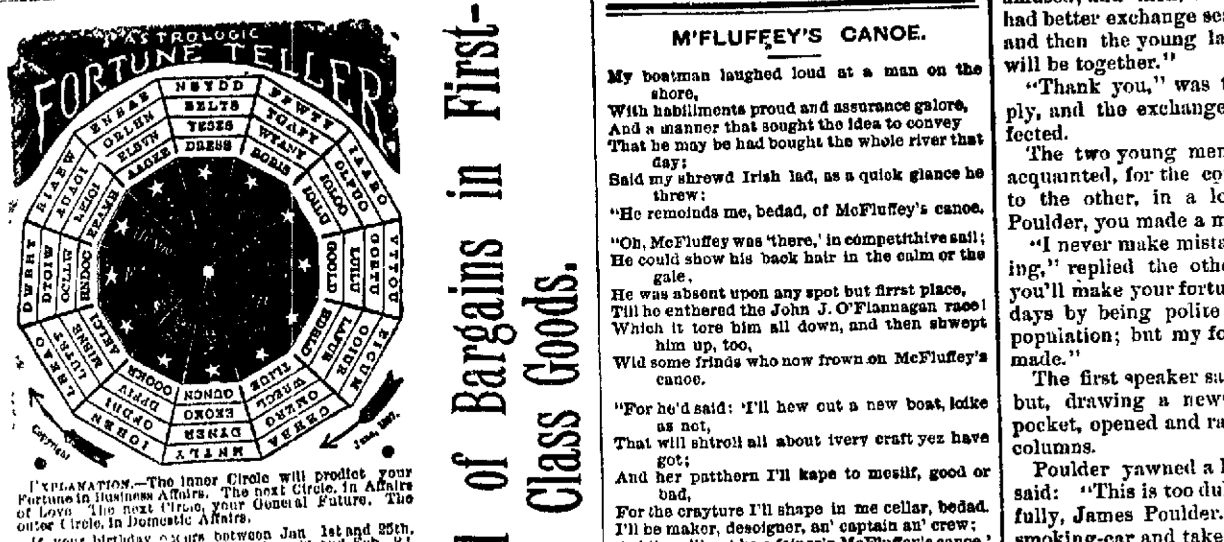

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M'FLUFFEY'S CANOE.

My boatman laughed loud at a man on the shore,
With habiliments proud and assurance galore,
And a manner that sought the idea to convey
That he may be had bought the whole river that day;
Said my shrewd Irish lad, as a quick glance he threw:
"He remoinds me, bedad, of McFluffey's canoe.

"Oh, McFluffey was 'there,' in competithive sail;
He could show his back hair in the calm or the gale,
He was absent upon any spot but firrst place,
Till he enthered the John J. O'Flannagan race!
Which it tore him all down, and then shwept him up, too,
Wid some frinds who now frown on McFluffey's canoe.

"For he'd said: 'I'll hew out a new boat, loike as not,
That will shtroll all about ivery craft yez have got;
And her patthern I'll kape to mesilf, good or bad,
For the crayture I'll shape in me cellar, bedad.
I'll be maker, desoigner, an' captain an' crew;
An' there'll not be a foiner'n McFluffey's canoe.'

"So this promising craft in his cellar he shaped,
An' he chuckled an' laughed, an' he pounded an' schraped;
An' his dry-dock was wet wid the shmell of ould gin;
But we niver could get a free pass to go in.
And he says: 'Cork yer eyes, till the proper time—you—
An' you'll have a surprise from McFluffey's canoe!'

"An' the race day did lind a fair breeze an bright sun,
An' we backed our ould frind about twinty to one;
An' we pitied the fate of the others afloat,
An' shouted: 'Jist wait for McFluffey's new boat!'
An' he says: 'She's as stanch as me frinds are, an' true;
So step down an' help launch ould McFluffey's canoe!'

"An' we shouted: 'All right!' an' went down wid a grin,
An' we pushed our sails tight wid a pull at the gin,
An' the boat stood all fresh an' all fine as could be;
Oh! a firrst-class professional beauty was she!
An' his shwatcheart had sewed a grane flag trimmed wid blue,
An' her name had bestowed on McFluffey's canoe.

"An' we lifted her clane on our shoulders, in pairs—
The boat, sure, I mane—an' descinded up-shtairs;
But the boat was too great—sure the door was too shmall—
An' we couldn't get the crayture evicted at all!
Not a door could be slammed that the craft would sail through,
An' we stood there becalmed wid McFluffey's canoe!

"Saw the floor! smash the wall! blow the roof off!' he cried;
But nothing at all would admit her outside;
An' Mac shwelled up in girth, an' blasphemed himself sick,
An' then prayed for an' earthquake to come an' be quick!
Stone an' brick would not mind it, for all we could do,
An' the race left behind it McFluffey's canoe!

"His shwatcheart the shock drove with rage 'most insane,
An' she stamped through the dock when he thried to explain;
An' she said: 'Look a-there!' wid the rage in her face
'The Bridget O'Flaherty is winning my race!
You desaved me, ye elf!' an' her words fairly flew;
'Now be off wid yerself an' your dirthy canoe!'

"Now when a man brings me a high moighty sound
Concernin' big things he is goin' to bring round,
An' thanks his good stars *he* is winnin' the day,
Forgettin' the bars that men find in their way,
I say, wid sly laughther: 'Your pride ye may rue;
You're a modelin' afther McFluffey's canoe.'

"An' when a man linds all his plans to himself,
An' lays all his frinds for awhile on the shelf,
An' thinks he knows twice all there is to be known,
An' the outside advice will be lettin' alone,
I says: 'If your pride to a point yez don't hew,
You'll be taken' a ride in McFluffey's canoe.'"

—*Will Carleton, in Harper's Weekly.*

A MISTAKE.

Which of Two Young Men Was It That Made It.

A pleasant, balmy day in May. The windows of the railway car were open. There was a fine breeze stirring; and though a cloud of dust was blown in, it was also blown out, with the exception of a tired portion which stopped to rest on the clothes of the passengers, or burrowed for its own safety in their ears or nostrils. There were only two vacant seats in the car, and at Pankehap station two persons came in to fill them. One of these was an old man—on a second look, he was probably not over fifty—with iron-gray hair, partly covered by a slouched felt hat, and clad in a new suit of gray stuff that seemed to have been made for some one else. With him was a young and very pretty girl, whose dress was of ordinary stuff, but well-fitting, and who was well-gloved and well-shod. The observer would set down the two for a well-to-do farmer and his daughter, who were traveling for business or pleasure. The man looked around. Two vacant seats were on opposite sides of the car. In one of them sat a young, well-dressed, and apparently self-satisfied gentleman, and the space by his side was occupied by a hand-bag of crocodile leather and a spring overcoat. In the other was another young man, not quite so extravagantly dressed, though neatly clad, and not as handsome as the first, though he had an open and intelligent countenance. The farmer looked around, and, motioning his daughter to the vacant seat, said: "There's a place for you, Lucy." Then, turning to the young man with the satchel, he asked: "Seat engaged?"

The young man looked up, curled his lip superciliously and said: "Man to fill it'll be here presently, I dare say."

"Ah!" said the farmer, coolly removing the gripsack and overcoat, and placing them on the young man's lap, "then I'll occupy it until he comes." And he seated himself accordingly, while the young man glared at him.

The one on the other side looked amused; and then, rising, said: "You had better exchange seats with me, sir, and then the young lady and yourself will be together."

"Thank you," was the farmer's reply, and the exchange was quietly effected.

The two young men were evidently acquainted, for the courteous one said to the other, in a low voice: "Jim Poulder, you made a mistake there."

"I never make mistakes, Frank Bolling," replied the other. "I dare say you'll make your fortune some of these days by being polite to the granger population; but my fortune is already made."

The first speaker said nothing more, but, drawing a newspaper from his pocket, opened and ran his eye over its columns.

Poulder yawned a little, and at last said: "This is too dull for yours faithfully, James Poulder. I'll go into the smoking-car and take a whiff. Have a snifter?" he inquired, producing a pocket flask.

"No, thank you," replied Bolling. "That stuff is rather too fiery for me."

"Here goes alone then. That's as fine brandy as every crossed the ocean. Day-day! Keep an eye to my traps, will you? and don't give up my seat to every country yokel who asks it."

The elegant young gentleman shook himself, and made his way forward to the car especially provided for fumigation.

When he had gone the old man leaned over the arm of his seat and addressed Bolling.

"Excuse me, sir, but didn't your friend who has left say that his name was James Poulder?"

"That is his name, sir," replied the young man, "but he is not exactly a friend of mine, though we live in the same place, and I know him very well."

"May I inquire where he is from?"

"Yes, sir; Careysburg."

"Son of Peter B. Poulder, the great pork packer there, isn't he?"

"Yes, sir."

"His father should deal with him. It would be quite in his line."

"Oh, papa!" said a sweet, reproachful voice, as those near by who heard the colloquy tittered.

"It is a fact, Lucy," rejoined the farmer.

The old man who was evidently intelligent, entered into a general conversation with the younger, and soon showed that he was quite well-informed. Bolling was glad of the conference so entertaining, especially when, as his eyes were bent in that direction, he saw that the young lady was interested, and he hoped, a pleased listener. There was something very sweet in the expression of her countenance—an unmistakable impress of modesty and innocence on her features. They chatted away, and the elder, so dexterously that the younger never perceived it, drew out of the other his position, prospects and intentions. Bolling was frank by nature, and the questions of his interlocutor, who was as ingenious as the other was ingenuous, were craftily put. The sharp granger soon learned that Frank Bolling had been engaged for some time in the study of the law, but that his father having met with reverses, and having two young daughters to educate, the young man determined to make his burden less, and had set out to support himself, abandoning his law studies, and taking a situation as salesman in a country store in Griffton, a thriving town about five miles from the main line.

"I get but a beggarly pay, of course," said Frank, gayly. "I am only a raw hand; but I have a promise that, when I am better qualified, my wages will be increased."

"You are rather a singular person," said the farmer, bluffly. "Most young men would have talked of their salary."

"I rather prefer the old style of English," said Bolling. "I am to be a hireling; and the compensation of a hireling is called wages. But wages or salary—the terms are indifferent to me."

"My place is within a mile of Griffton," said the old man. "I have a notion that I knew your father once. Wasn't he at Harvard, in his time?"

"Yes, sir, and so was I. We are alumni of the same school."

"I wonder if he remembers his old chum there—one George Carter—George St. Leger Carter, they have it on the rolls."

"Yes, sir; I've heard him speak of him often, though the two have drifted apart since then. Judge Carter, you mean. He lives at Griffton. Do you know him?"

"Um! ye-es! After a fashion."

"Papa!" whispered the young girl; but Bolling's quick ear caught her words; "I know the Judge better than you do."

"Be quiet, Puss, will you?" replied her father, in the same tone.

"I am told," resumed the young man, "that he has left the bench, and though quite wealthy, has gone back to the bar. I have a letter for him which my father, recalling their youthful friendship, insisted on giving me; but I shall not present it."

"Why not? He might be of service to you."

"Scarcely, sir. You see, if I am to be a salesman in a country store I had better accommodate myself to my position. The Judge, even if he remembered old college friendships, wouldn't be likely to consider me a welcome addition to his family circle as a suitor. He is rich, and then he is said to have a very handsome and accomplished daughter, who would, no doubt, look down on me. I have my bread and butter to earn, and had better confine myself to it."

"Possibly you are right. But how came your father to lose his money? I thought he inherited a fine fortune."

"Yes, sir; but he was drawn into incurring responsibility for a relative. He is not ruined by any means, but is merely hampered, and thinks he will pull through in time with a little economy and prudence; and I have no doubt he will. But I am only in h way, or I would have remained."

"Have you ever thought of trying farming?"

"No, sir. I have no capital and know nothing of it."

"Do you know more of selling groceries and dry goods?"

"Not a bit more; but, you see, I am paid something there while I learn."

"Your friend, or your acquaintance, as you call him, goes to Griffton, too—does he?"

"Yes, sir; but he goes there in a different capacity. I believe he represents his father in some transaction about property with the Judge, and is to remain there some days as a guest, until the affair is closed. Possibly, as his father wants him to marry, he may be on a tour of observation, and take in the Judge's daughter. Though that is impertinent of me, for he has said nothing on the subject."

"Do you think he is so irresistible as to be able to pick and choose at his pleasure?" inquired the girl, looking quizzically over her father's shoulder.

"He can be very fascinating when he chooses, I am told," replied Bolling; "and as he is handsome, an only son, and his father worth millions, he is at least what elderly ladies call 'a good catch.'"

"He puts up his fascination along with his courtesy, I suppose, and leaves both at home when he travels," said the girl.

"Lucy! Lucy!" cried her father, "some thoughts had better be left unspoken."

The conversation turned into other channels. But the old farmer still pursued his queries in the most artful way. There is a strong thirst for information in the rural mind, but in this instance it seemed to be personal.

At last the elegant Jim Poulder came back from the smoking-car with a strong nicotian aroma shedding itself from his person. He brought something more with him. His voice had that thickness which told of the draining of his pocket-flask. He was jolly and confidential.

"Sorry, old fellow," he said, "to have left you so long. Been bored to death for want of company, haven't you?"

"Oh, no! I have enjoyed a very pleasant conversation with our genial neighbor over the way."

"Genial! Well, of all the queer chaps for picking up all low acquaintance, you beat 'em and give 'em six in the game."

"Ssh! They'll hear you."

"Let 'em, who cares? Going to stop at the Junction?"

"No; there is a one-horse sort of connecting train, I learn, and I shall push on to Griffton at once."

"I sha'n't. I'll lie over a day. I'm sort of worn out, and I'll come over tomorrow as fresh as a daisy. Hope you'll have a good time among the cheese and candles. I intend to look in on you before I leave, and see 'how doth the little busy bee improve each shining hour.'"

"Thank you; you're very kind."

The brakeman craned his neck in the door, and uttered some sounds, apparently "Grittin Juxsh'n," which the experienced ear understood to be Griffton Junction, and the travelers for that point left the cars. Poulder made his way, with his luggage, to the little hotel there, while the farmer and daughter, followed by Bolling, made theirs to the single car, with a little superannuated engine attached, which stood waiting. There were no other passengers, and the three had the car to themselves.

"Come over here, Mr. Bolling," said the old man, after the car had been in motion awhile; "I want to talk with you a bit. Turn down that seat. That will do. You said you had a letter for Judge Carter and didn't intend to deliver it."

"Yes, sir."

"Did it never occur to you, young man, that it was your duty to obey a father's orders?"

"I trust, sir, that I'm usually obedient. It was not a positive order. I shall write to him and explain."

"I tell you that you should deliver that letter to its proper owner. You are only a trustee in the case. I am Judge Carter, and this is my daughter Lucy. Hand over the paper to the court."

"I beg your pardon, sir; but I—"

"You want identification. Here, conductor! Tell this young gentleman who I am."

"Judge Carter," responded the functionary, a little curious to know what it was about."

"Thank you, Philps. That'll do. Now, sir."

Bolling, not a little astonished, took the letter from his pocket-book.

"If you'll permit me," said the Judge, as he opened the letter and glanced over the contents "He gives you a good character, and wants me to look after you a little. Ah, how time flies! Lucy, this young fellow's father and I had such good times in the old days. How long did you read law, Bolling?"

"A little over two years, sir."

"Like it?"

"Very much indeed, sir."

"Whom did you read with?"

"Spence and Sullivan."

"Good men. Sullivan put you through the office business, I fancy; that's his way. Now, I've been putting you through an exhaustive examination, which is my way, and I think you'll do. Let old Bragg find another salesman. He's not dying for you, and I can get him a substitute. I have two students in my office. What they are there for is their own business, but they'll never make a great success at the bar, unless they change their ways. I want a clerk to manage my office, and to boss around while I am off on circuit. I'll give you a living salary—not too much, and you can read law meanwhile. You ought to be able to pass in a year. If you turn out as I hope you will, why, when you get your sheepskin, we'll see what can be done. What do you say to it?"

"Say to it, sir. What can I say but yes, and thank you for the offer."

"Very well, that's settled. Here we are, and there's our carriage. Give your checks to John there, and he'll bring your luggage to the house, along with ours. Show your gallantry, and hand Lucy into the carriage. Jump in. I'll drive."

The next day, James Poulder, Esq., made his appearance at the Carters' in a state of elegance, only matched by that of Captain Cuttle's famous watch—never equaled, and rarely excelled. He was ushered into the drawing-room and received by a young lady, whose style suited even his fastidious taste, and whose features had a dim familiarity. When the Judge came in, the young man's recognition of the farmer in the cars was complete. He stammered out an apology, but the old man relieved him.

"It could hardly have been expected that you should have known us," said the Judge. "Let all that pass. You are quite welcome. As we have two hours before dinner, we'll go to the office and look over the papers together. Miss Carter will excuse you, meanwhile."

In the office Poulder found Bolling, who was busy at work on a declaration.

"Why, Frank, I thought you were going into the grocery business."

"I've changed my mind," replied Frank, resuming his work.

James Poulder stayed his week out, and then took the cars to Careysburg.

Frank Bolling did not make the same trip until two years after. Then he went to visit his father, who had got over his pecuniary troubles, and to see his sisters. He had been admitted to the bar meanwhile, and Judge Carter, whose favorable impressions time had confirmed, had taken him into partnership. He had gone into another partnership, just before he left. He was in high spirits on that trip. He was not alone. Miss Lucy Carter, that had been, Mrs. Francis Bolling then, was his traveling companion.—*Thomas Dunn English, in N. Y. Independent.*

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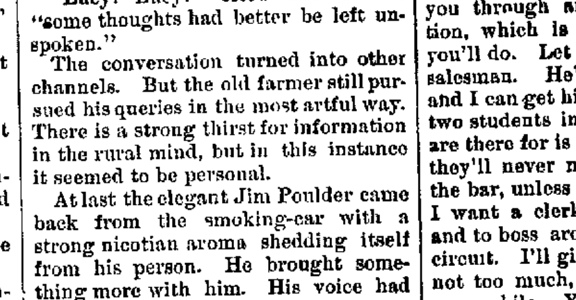

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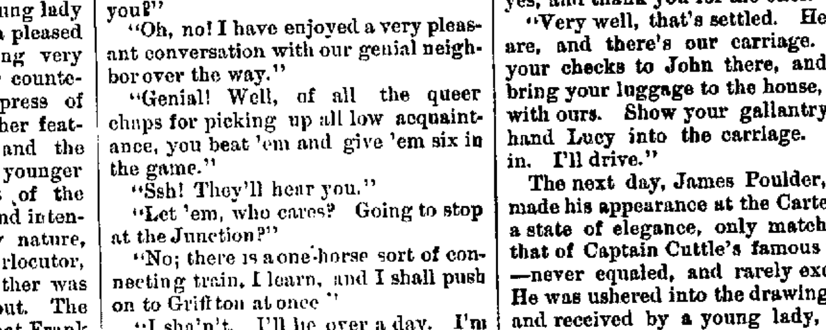

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Serious Election Troubles Feared in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Nov. 5.—Gray County, Kansas, is wildly excited over the result of the recent election for county seat, as between Ingalls and Cimarron. The latest figures are: Ingalls, 796; Cimarron, 562. Charges of ballot-stuffing are freely made. The ballot boxes have been removed to the upper story of the Cimarron Bank, and armed men are guarding them. The building is barricaded with bales of hay, and ladders have been laid side by side on the stairs to prevent access to the boxes. An armed party of Ingalls' sympathizers has arrived at Cimarron and serious trouble is feared.

Formally Charged with the Murder of Frank Harn.

PITTSBURGH, PA., Nov. 5.—Frank Harn, the uncle of Frank Harn, recently found dead in a carriage, yesterday charged the two men, James Simms and Scott Coates, already in custody with the deliberate and malicious murder of his nephew. Frank Harn, on the night of October 23, in Allegheny County. The detectives who have been working the case have no doubt of the guilt of these two men.

Affairs of the New York Wire and Wire Spring Company.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Nov. 5.—Trustee ... pen's statement of the affairs of the New York Wire and Wire Spring Company, shows liabilities, $109,000; assets, $ ...; of which $125,000 are stock. The principal creditors are New Haven and Hartford banks, for small amounts in each case.

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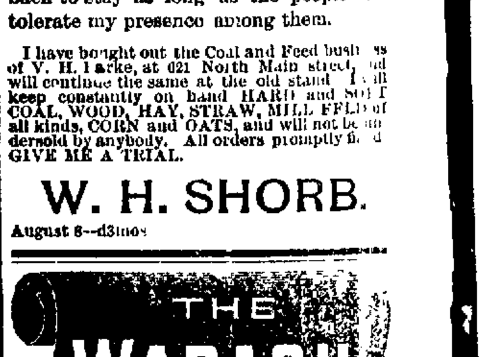

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Ann Gill, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Ann Gill, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the December term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 17th day of October, 1887. L. M. GILL, Administrator. oct18-d3w

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